

Local stations need freedom of choice, even when they are managed by national broadcasting corporations. I would not be happy if Sinclair Broadcasting's was simply encouraging or enabling their stations to air STOLEN HONOR, but the fact that they are forcing stations to do it terrifies me.

We keep the public airwaves free so that we can get news and commentary from all sides to the American public. Sinclair is abusing their charge to provide balanced coverage and instead treating their privilege of providing information as if it were a right to campaign for one side against the other.

Your role as the governing body that oversees our media is a very important one. Please think about what you want station owners to be able to do, and please think about it based not on your own political preferences but on what you think is worthwhile to all of the American public. We need a free press, and that includes our radio and TV stations.

Thank you.